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C O N F I D E N T I A L LONDON 04089

E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP, PFOR, VS

SUBJECT: THIEU VISIT TO UK

1. FCO ADVISES THAT PRESIDENT THIEU AND PARTY DUE TO ARRIVE APRIL 10. UK EMBASSY ROME REPORTS THIEU LEAVING ROME EVENING OF 9 TH; FCO DOES NOT KNOW WHERE HE WILL OVERNIGHT BUT PLANNING ON BASIS FIRM INFORMATION FROM GVN EMBASSY THAT HE WILL ARRIVE HERE 0830 APRIL 10. THIEU AND ACCOMPANYING OFFICIALS WILL BE TAKEN IMMEDIATELY TO CHEQUERS FOR DISCUSSION WITH PRIME MINISTER HEATH. FCO PARLIAMENTARY UNDERSECRETARY ROYLE WILL HOST PRIVATE BREAKFAST AT AIRPORT FOR MRS. THIEU. DEPARTURE SCHEDULED FOR 1130 SAME DAY.
2. FCO IS KEEPING TIGHT LID ON PLANS FOR VISIT AND LAYING ON HEAVY SECURITY. THEY ASKED US PARTICULARLY TO AVOID LEAKING CHEQUERS LOCATION. FCO EXPECTS CONTENT OF TALKS TO BE COMPLETELY ANODYNE.

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